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## INHABITANTS FETE JOHN R. MAHONEY

Roosevelt, by Letter, Joins  
Association in Honoring  
Financial Secretary.

Congratulated by personal letters from President Roosevelt and others and by a capacity audience of his friends and associates, John R. Mahoney, a vice president and financial secretary of the Association of Oldest Inhabitants, celebrated his birthday last night at Old Union Engine House—whether it was his 90th, 91st, or 92nd, was left somewhat in the air.

He received felicitations on all three ages, admitted he had lost his 90th birthday somewhere along the line—probably last year—but said he preferred to believe the record in the family Bible, which fixed his age at 91.

Music made the venerable rafters of Old Union Engine House ring, and when it was all over "Patriarch" Mahoney said he felt like dancing, but turned rather to visiting with his many friends.

Looks to 100th Birthday.  
His speech of response was pithy, characteristically humorous, and looked to the future, when he hopes to celebrate his 100th anniversary.

Denying he was proud from egotism, Mr. Mahoney expressed a pardonable pride in the occasion, and in the appreciation expressed during the evening. He praised the Association of Oldest Inhabitants as "old and honorable," and predicted it would outlive the building in which now it is housed. He hoped to see some day a new home for the organization, with modern improvements and comfort for members, and space for the many museum relics now housed in the Old Union Engine House, where the association meets. Mr. Mahoney recalled that a prediction of his 10 years ago had come true—that shacks along Pennsylvania Avenue would disappear and Treasury would disappear. One of the things of which he said he was proud was that he had seen the "Nation's Capital, where horses, pigs and cows roamed the open spaces, changed to a city of beauty and grandeur."

Heurich Sends Flowers.  
In addition to the letters of felicitation and informal remarks of the evening, Mr. Mahoney was the recipient of several gifts, including a huge bouquet of flowers from Mr. and Mrs. Christian Heurich. Mr. Heurich, a vice president of the association, who presided, is the oldest member of the association, now 94 years of age.

In reviewing Mr. Mahoney's career, Mr. Suter pointed out his life stretched back to the days when James K. Polk was President of the United States, former President John Quincy Adams was serving as a member of the House and Henry Clay, John C. Calhoun and Daniel Webster were leaders in Congress. The population of this city then was only 51,687, he pointed out, during the time when the temperance and total abstinence movement began to sweep the country.

Temperance Activity Cited.  
Pointing to Mr. Mahoney's activity in the temperance movement, Mr. Suter referred to his public lectures for abstinence, membership in the Rechabites, and how a meeting of temperance leaders here in Washington led to formation of the Anti-Saloon League of the District of Columbia. Mr. Suter said the formation of the Anti-Saloon League of America really started, therefore, in Mr. Mahoney's "parlor," instead of in Ohio, as generally accredited birthplace. Mr. Mahoney was ruler of the Grant Tent of the District of Columbia Rechabites for two years and for many years was high tent secretary for the Nation.

Theodore W. Noyes, president of the Association of Oldest Inhabitants, in a letter to Mr. Mahoney, read to the assembly by Mr. Suter, declared: "We celebrate tonight with rejoicing the 91st, 90th or 92nd birthday of Patriarch Mahoney (for final figures see latest family Bible returns)—the oldest of our members in the association's official service as financial secretary."

"We pay tribute to his fine qualities of mind and heart, and to his influence for good in his lifelong fight against John Barleycorn."

"Our hearty congratulations and best wishes for health and for indefinite prolongation of a long and happy life to our highly valued friend, of sound common sense, and frank, blunt speech. May God bless him always!"

Best Wishes From Roosevelt.  
President Roosevelt was one of those who picked the age of 92 for Mr. Mahoney in his congratulations. "It gives me real pleasure," wrote the President, "to send you my congratulations and very best wishes on this occasion."

John Clagett Proctor read an original poem in tribute.  
The Chesapeake & Potomac Telephone Club, Robert H. Davidson, director, presented a program of several choral numbers, with George Small in a feature solo of harmonica and guitar. Director Davidson read original poems. The club was roundly applauded. Other musicians also much appreciated were Mrs. Ruth Dowling Halsted, soprano, accompanied by Mrs. Elizabeth Collier Hill, and Miss Mildred Deane, accompanist. The invocation was by Rev. E. J. Barnes of North Carolina Methodist Protestant Church.

The committee in charge consisted of Walter E. Allen, chairman; Henry A. Burr, Harry W. Dowling, E. C. Palmer, Jesse C. Suter and J. H. A. Fowler.

## ALLEY DWELLING AIDE TO TELL OF HOUSING

Improvements for Colored Families to Be Emphasized at Meeting in Cathedral Library.

Charles H. Flag, rehousing assistant of the Alley Dwelling Authority, will speak on improvements in housing conditions for colored people here at a meeting to be held at the Washington Cathedral Library Friday at 11 a.m.

The meeting will be sponsored by the Saint Monica's League, an organization composed principally of Episcopal Church members who are interested in the welfare of the colored race and in an improved understanding in race relations.

Mrs. Helen Duesy Hoffman, executive director of the Washington Housing Association, will take part in the program, and the meeting will be presided over by Canon Anson Phelps Stokes of the Washington Cathedral, president of the Washington Housing Administration. Music will be provided by the Glee Club of Howard University.

## Congratulated by President



John R. Mahoney, vice president and financial secretary of the Association of Oldest Inhabitants, who is either 90, 91 or 92, is shown reading a congratulatory letter from President Roosevelt last night at a birthday party staged for him by the association. Some of Mr. Mahoney's family grouped around him are (left to right): Mrs. Bertha M. Davis, a niece; Mrs. Emily C. Pollock, his daughter, and C. Wesley Mahoney, his grandson.

—Star Staff Photo.

## RELIGIOUS LIFE REVIVAL URGED

Spokesmen of 3 Sects Join  
in Plea—Senator Walsh  
Among Speakers.

Catholic, Protestant and Jewish spokesmen joined last night at Constitution Hall in an appeal for a religious reawakening in the United States.

"The first sign of decadence in a people is decadence in religion," Senator David I. Walsh, Democrat, of Massachusetts, speaking for the Catholics, said, quoting a warning sounded years ago by Gen. Leonard Wood.

More than 1,000 men and women, gathered in the hall for the third annual mass meeting called by the Committee on Religious Life in the Nation's Capital for the promotion of "Religion in national life," heard Senator Walsh's warning reiterated by Rev. Albert J. McCartney, pastor of the Covenant First Presbyterian Church; Bishop Edwin H. Hughes of the Methodist Episcopal Church South, and Rabbi Edward L. Israel of Baltimore.

Bishop Hughes expressed his alarm at the great number of persons, who, coming to Washington from other

parts of the country, lose the religious affiliations they knew at home.

America's religious forces must unite in a Nation-wide promotion of a revival of religious feeling and religious practice, Dr. Israel declared, if the country is to retain its position as a world leader.

"Religious liberty is the outstanding victory of human dignity," said Senator Walsh, whose Irish ancestors suffered interference from the Church of England and whose home State of Massachusetts was settled by the intolerant Puritans.

"We in the United States enjoy religious liberty, but we are suffering from a loss of religion."  
Senator Walsh supported his apprehension at the spread of irreligion through the country by a reference to a survey made in 1933 which showed that only 5 per cent of college seniors in America believed in immortality and that only 42 per cent of the youths entering college from high school held that belief.

A dismissal of interdenominational bickering was held out by the Senator as the first essential toward turning the country back toward belief. He said:

"Let us resolve tonight to put an end to the jeers and bywords of those who cry out, 'Look how the Christians hate one another.'"

"When tolerance departs, religious liberty and many other things we cherish depart."

"Soviet Russia and Germany today have lost their freedom of worship. Wherever religious liberty lies crushed, tyranny is enthroned."

The Committee on Religious Life

was organized February 25, 1935, to insure the tolerance and the united front Senator Walsh and the other speakers asked for.

Ideal Explained.  
"The committee seeks to emphasize the importance to the state, society and individuals of religion and church attendance; to promote the spirit of religious toleration and church attendance, and to aid all residents of the city in becoming related to some local church of their own choosing," Dr. McCartney, chairman of the group, said.

The committee includes in its scope all races, creeds, parties and groups, but as over half of the 600,000 people in the District are usually dependent upon governmental employment for family support, and as about one-fifth are in Federal and District service, it gives special attention to the needs of those related to the Government.

The United States Army Band, Capt. Thomas Darcy, leader, opened the program last night with Schubert's "Unfinished Symphony." The Rev. Robert T. Workman, chief of the Chaplain's division, United States Navy, said a prayer. The Rev. Edgar A. Love, D. D., president of the Interdenominational Ministers' Alliance, read the Old Testament.

The Rev. James Montgomery, D.D., chaplain of the House of Representatives, led the responsive reading, and the Rt. Rev. James E. Freeman, D.D., Protestant Episcopal Bishop of Washington, said the benediction. Edwin Stoffe, baritone soloist of Washington Cathedral, sang Melotti's "Arrangement of the Lord's Prayer" and Mendelssohn's "It Is Enough."

Seated on the platform besides those who took direct part in the program were the Rev. J. L. S. Holloman of the Colored Baptist Church, the Rev. R. T. Brooks of the Colored Congregational Church, the Rev. John Cartwright of the Roman Catholic Church, the Rev. F. W. Perkins of the Universalist Church, Chaplain ZeBarney Phillips of the Senate, Col. William R.

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